

BEAD Workforce Planning Grant 5-BP-2023 Award Summary

Applicant	Project	Description	Award
Wisconsin Regional Training Partnership, Inc. (WRTP) - BIG STEP	Wisconsin Broadband Workforce Coalition Readiness Project	The BWCRP has assembled a committed group of diverse stakeholders from across the state/nation to assess Wisconsin's broadband workforce readiness. The BWCRP will utilize a multi-faceted comprehensive asset-based approach including: conducting tailored research methodology/asset-mapping to create a robust workforce development profile, refine/recommend top culturally competent workforce strategies and present a capacity-building impact pathway for immediate mobilization and implementation.	\$70,000.00
	Assessing Workforce Readiness for Equitable Delivery of Broadband in Southeast Wisconsin (AWARE)	ULRK's AWARE project will 1) leverage already established relationships with workforce development CBOs, area technical and two-year colleges, and state agencies, to assess Southeast Wisconsin's broadband workforce readiness; 2) engage qualified, industry validated telecommunications consultant and trainer to advise on broadband workforce development throughout grant period; and 3) interface with accredited, industry-validated telecommunication providers.	\$30,000.00
Total:		2 Projects	\$100,000.00